Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota
Office of the Governor

Whereas, South Dakota was founded with hard work, perseverance, dedication to duty and concern for ones fellow man; and,

Whereas, Evelyn E. Palli was born at Hawkeye, Iowa, 69 years ago, married her husband, Jerry, in 1954, and later moved to Ramona, South Dakota, where they raised their four children: Randy, Linda, Tony, and John; and,

Whereas, Evelyn began her employment for the Lake County Sheriff's office in July 1973, for Sheriff Thomas Bakke, continued to work for Sheriff Herbert Lurz, and most recently worked for Sheriff Roger Hartman prior to her retirement on January 9, 2004; and,

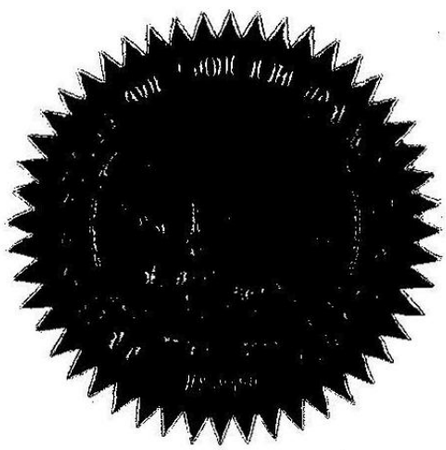
Whereas, Evelyn lost her husband in 1998, but will fill her retirement days with gardening projects and travel, allowing her to spend time with her children and their families that include five grandchildren; and,

Whereas, The Lake County Sheriff's office will host an open house at 2:00 p.m. on Thursday, January 29, 2004, in order for her family, friends, and the many Lake County citizens that she served to have an opportunity to honor and thank Evelyn for her 30 years of service:

Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim January 29, 2004, as

EVELYN PALLI DAY

in South Dakota, and I join with her family and friends in wishing her a happy and healthy retirement.



In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Sixteenth Day of January in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Four.

M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:

Chris Nelson, Secretary of State